



## Site Information

**Site Location:** Lake Merritt Channel  
Upstream end – 7<sup>th</sup> Street;  
Downstream end – California Highway 880

**Watershed:** Lake Merritt Watershed

**Waterbody:** Lake Merritt Channel

**Jurisdiction:** City of Oakland

**Ownership:** Peralta Community College District

**Trash Pathways/Sources:** Trash sources include the Laney College, heavy traffic corridors (California Highway 880 and 7<sup>th</sup> Street), and from Lake Merritt and Downtown Oakland.

**Site Identified by:** City of Oakland

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## Justification

### Information Supporting Selection as a Hot Spot:

Past observations indicated large volumes of small trash items such as plastic bags and trash common to parks, high density residential and commercial areas exist in this area.

Recurring public complaint calls regarding high trash volumes in the waterway.

### Planned Cleanup Efforts:

Property Owner Cleanups

**Assessments:** To be conducted during Summer 2010